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PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES: BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICINE

MEETING DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, September 14, 2010 at 1:00 p.m.

PLACE: 861 Silver Lake Boulevard, Dover, Delaware

Conference Room A, second floor of the Cannon Building

MINUTES APPROVED: October 12, 2010

MEMBERS PRESENT

Rachel Longfellow, LVT, President Craig Metzner, DVM, Vice-President Lynn Nellius, LVT Courtney Manetti, VMD (arrived at 1:40 p.m.) Lena Corder, Public Member Roberta Jackson, VMD

DIVISION STAFF/DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL PRESENT

Eileen Heeney, Deputy Attorney General Gayle Melvin, Administrative Specialist III

MEMBER ABSENT

Kimberly S. Vincent, Public Member

CALL TO ORDER

Ms. Longfellow called the meeting to order at 1:08 p.m.

REVIEW OF MINUTES

The Board reviewed the minutes of the August 10, 2010 meeting. Ms. Nellius made a motion, seconded by Dr. Metzner to approve the minutes. The motion was unanimously carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Ratification of Applications for Veterinary Technician Licensure by Examination

Ms. Longfellow made a motion, seconded by Ms. Nellius to ratify the following persons for veterinary technician licensure by examination:

Melissa Cash

Tonya Davis

Erin Murtagh

Marie Hester

Robert Tull

Christina Kamprad

Pamela Evans

Karen Johnson

Mindie Evans

Amber McCaw

Karen Lynch

Jennifer Perin

Kendra Barnes

Nicole Ecklof

Victoria Bartoszewicz

Gillian Chapin

Shannon Vella

George Kreal

Amelia Naugler

Sandy Borcheller

Jennifer Weatherbee

Heather Midcap

Lyda Dean-Jamieson

Hannah Leyrer

Renee Runyon

Melanie Burge

Robert Wedge

Staci Thorne

Jennifer Monaco

Jillian Campbell

Ricardo Fernandes

Ellen Salsman

Michael DeFelice

Shannon Garcia

Lydia Fulton

Stephanie Simpson

Carole-Ann Farnham

Lynn Hawes

Michelle Lima

Christine Coe

Laura Roerig

Isabel Lorenco

Colleen Eckhardt

Amy Tomes

Kara Cummings

Juliet DuBois
Crystal Carr
Danielle Cosgrove
Angie Ziegler
Deniece Johnson
Jennifer Riley
Kathryn Chatt
Stacy Chambless
Nicole Eichhorn
Kristen Abercrombie
Jodi Kunkel

The motion was unanimously carried.

Ratification of Applications for Veterinarian Licensure by Reciprocity

Ms. Nellius made a motion, seconded by Dr. Metzner to ratify the following persons for veterinarian licensure by reciprocity:

Kathryn Gay Ben Bealmear Olivia Schroeder Regina Turner Dora Connelly

The motion was unanimously carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Review of Senate Bill 280

A brief discussion was held about certifying euthanasia technicians. Dr. Jackson reported on the meeting that she had attended on August 12th regarding Senate Bill 280. The next meeting is scheduled for September 24th at 2:00 p.m. Ms. Heeney indicated that she will attend this meeting.

Review of Application for the VTNE

The Board reviewed the application and the clarifying information of the dates worked for Dr. Schwirk submitted by Christian Nicosia for the VTNE. Ms. Nellius made a motion, seconded by Dr. Jackson to approve this application. The motion was unanimously carried.

Review of Application for Veterinarian Licensure by Reciprocity

The Board reviewed the application of Troy Looper and the information from the United States Department of Agriculture. Dr. Metzner made a motion, seconded by Ms. Nellius to approve this application. The motion was unanimously carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Review of Applications for the VTNE

The Board reviewed the application of Won Gu Jeong. Mr. Jeong was applying for the VTNE as being a graduate from an AVMA approved foreign veterinary program. The university in Korea where Mr. Jeong received his doctor of veterinary medicine degree is not an AVMA approved foreign veterinary program. The Board tabled Mr. Jeong's application pending receipt of documentation from a supervising veterinarian as to Mr. Jeong's experience.

Ms. Nellius made a motion, seconded by Dr. Metzner to approve the following person to sit for the VTNE pending receipt of a copy of a current license from the supervising veterinarian:

Jessica Johnson

The motion was unanimously carried

Ms. Nellius made a motion, seconded by Dr. Metzner to table the application of the following person and request clarification of the dates of employment listed on the affidavit of experience form:

Luci Morano

The motion was unanimously carried.

Ms. Nellius made a motion, seconded by Dr. Jackson to propose to deny the applications of the following persons:

Holly Hawkins-Bourne Shelly Shirk

The motion was unanimously carried.

Ms. Nellius made a motion, seconded by Dr. Jackson to approve the following person to sit for the VTNE pending answering question 12 on the application:

Adam Rhodes

The motion was unanimously carried.

Dr. Metzner made a motion, seconded by Dr. Manetti to approve the following persons to sit for the VTNE pending clarification of their answers to question 14 on the application:

Teri Somes Stephanie Carpenter Jennifer Gallagher

The motion was unanimously carried.

Dr. Metzner made a motion, seconded by Ms. Corder to approve the following persons to sit for the VTNE:

Stephanie Kubiak Meg Brown Natalie Miller Frances Gargin

Lindsay Smith

Jennifer Balke

Kristina Hargett

Kerry Quinn

Debra Dancer

Kyle Wendy Skultety

Elaine Somers

Angela Lanoce

Kristine Roper

Diane Giresi

JoAn Anton

Megan Inglis

Janessa Lockwood

Natalee Reed

Kristen Sobanski

Elizabeth Hall

Bethany Evans

Kimberli Calabrese

Leslie Lane

Cedrick Young

Genevieve Reitano

Ann Torres

Ashley Bolen

Courtney Abel

Lauren Ciparis

The motion was unanimously carried.

Ratification of Applications for NAVLE

Dr. Metzner made a motion, seconded by Dr. Manetti to approve the following persons to sit for the NAVLE:

Janet MacDonna

Toria Boon

The motion was unanimously carried.

Status of Complaints

Complaint No. 28-01-08 - Closed

Complaint No. 28-12-10 - Assigned to Ms. Longfellow

Complaint No. 28-13-10 – Assigned to Dr. Manetti

Review of Continuing Education Requests

Complaint No. 28-07-09 – Referred to the Attorney General's Office Complaint No. 28-01-10 – Referred to the Attorney General's Office

Dr. Metzner made a motion, seconded by Ms. Nellius to approve the following continuing education request:

Novartis Animal Health

Diofilaria immitis and Efficacy of Macrocyclic Lactone Heartworm Preventives: A Review of the Findings – 1 hour

The motion was unanimously carried.

Dr. Metzner made a motion, seconded by Ms. Corder to approve the following continuing education request:

CVC San Diego 2010 Convention – 31 hours for veterinarians 27 hours for veterinary technicians

The motion was unanimously carried.

Review of Application for Veterinarian Licensure by Examination

Dr. Metzner made a motion, seconded by Ms. Nellius to approve the following person for veterinarian licensure by examination:

Ashley Roper

The motion was unanimously carried.

OTHER BUSINESS BEFORE THE BOARD (FOR DISCUSION ONLY)

There was no other business brought before the Board.

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no public comment.

NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, October 12, 2010 at 1:00 p.m.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, Ms. Longfellow made a motion, seconded by Ms. Nellius to adjourn the meeting. The motion was unanimously carried. The meeting adjourned at 2:27 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Gayle L. Melvin

Administrative Specialist III